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DNA methylation plays a critical role in controlling states of gene AB activity in most eukaryotic organisms, and it is essential for proper growth and development. Patterns of methylation are established by de novo methyltransferases and maintained by maintenance methyltransferase

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- Hypomethylation of the c-Myc gene by the peroxisome proliferator, Wy-14,643.
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- Class II DNA methyltransferases of maize
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- Expression of ZmMET1, a gene encoding a DNA methyltransferase from maize, is associated not only with DNA replication in actively proliferating cells, but also with altered DNA methylation status in cold-stressed quiescent cells.
- L14 ANSWER 11 OF 12 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2002 ACS
- Cloning and characterization of the 5-methylcytosine methyltransferase gene in maize (zea mays) plants and tissue cultures
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L17 ANSWER 3 OF 3 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2002 ACS DUPLICATE 3 Chromodomains are thought to mediate protein-protein interactions between chromatin components. The authors have detected a chromodomain embedded within the catalytic region of a predicted Arabidopsis DNA methyltransferase that is diverged from other eukaryotic enzymes. The 791 residue "chromomethylase" (CMT1) is encoded by a floral transcript that is spliced from 20 exons and is present at only .apprx.1/10-7 of total mRNA. Genomic sequencing reveals an ancient haplotype split at CMT1 between Col-0 + Metz and the other ecotypes examd. In the Col-0 + Metz haplotype, alternative mRNA processing at intron 13 truncates the coding region. In Ler, RLD, and No-0, similar truncation is caused by insertion of an intact retrotransposon, Evelknievel, which is present as a single copy in Ler and RLD and is currently methylated and inactive. Evelknievel is found at this site on a single branch that connects the Ler, RLD, and No-O ecotypes but is absent from the genomes of all other ecotypes examd. A stop codon within exon 6 of the Metz ecotype confirms that CMT1 is nonessential. Nevertheless, comparison to CMT1 of Cardaminopsis arenosa, an outcrossing relative, indicates conservation for DNA methyltransferase function. The authors discuss how allelic diversity of CMT1 may reflect loosened selective constraints in a self-fertilizing species such as Arabidopsis thaliana.